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Patent
Attorney Docket No. 79,955

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Sines

MAIL STOP: RCE

Serial No. 09/364,256

Art Unit: 2834

Filed: July 30, 1999

Examiner: Perez, G.

For: ELECTRICAL POWER DEVICES
TECHNIQUE

Confirmation No.: 9195

REPLY/AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

MAIL STOP RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2003, and further to the Notice of Allowance filed on February 10, 2004, kindly find enclosed the following items for consideration:

Request for Continued Examination

Reply/Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Fee Transmittal Sheet authorizing the Commissioner to charge the excess claim fee and the RCE fee to Deposit Account 50-0281.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: March 4, 2004
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 0110112003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 1282)

Complete if Known	
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)
 Check Credit card Money Order Other None

 Deposit Account:

 Deposit Account Number: 50-0281
 Deposit Account Name: NAVAL RESEARCH LABORATORY

The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)

 Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments
 Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application
 Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account.

FEE CALCULATION
1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001 770	2001 375	Utility filing fee	
1002 340	2002 165	Design filing fee	
1003 530	2003 260	Plant filing fee	
1004 770	2004 375	Reissue filing fee	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 0)			

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Fee from Extra Claims below			Fee Paid
	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Fee Paid	
40	-20- = 20	x 18	.360	
5	- 3- = 2	x 86	.152	

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 86	2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 290	2203 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 86	2204 42	Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 512)		

* or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

3. ADDITIONAL FEES	Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)			
1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath		
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		
1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification		
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month		
1252 420	2252 205	Extension for reply within second month		
1253 950	2253 465	Extension for reply within third month		
1254 1480	2254 725	Extension for reply within fourth month		
1255 2010	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month		
1401 330	2401 160	Notice of Appeal		
1402 330	2402 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
1403 290	2403 140	Request for oral hearing		
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable		
1453 1,330	2453 650	Petition to revive - unintentional		
1501 1,330	2501 650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
1502 480	2502 235	Design issue fee		
1503 640	2503 315	Plant issue fee		
1460 130	1460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
1806 180	1806 180	Submission of information Disclosure Stmt		
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
1809 770	2809 375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))		
1810 770	2810 375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))		
1801 770	2801 375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	770	
1802 900	1802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application		
Other fee (specify)				
- Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid				
SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 770)				

SUBMITTED BY

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §114

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2003, and further to the Notice of Allowance filed on February 10, 2004, Applicants request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. §114 to consider the accompanying Request for Reconsideration/Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111.

As the RCE and Request for Reconsideration/Amendment are submitted within two months of the Notice of Appeal, no extension fee is believed to be due. The enclosed fee sheet authorizes the Commissioner to charge excess claim fee and the RCE fee to Deposit Account 50-0281. However, should any additional fee be required, kindly charge any additional fee, or credit overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0281.

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AND
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2003 and further to the Notice of Allowance and Petition for a three-month Extension of time filed on February 10, 2004, applicants request reexamination, reconsideration and allowance of the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are as shown in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.